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Subject: Re: please keep in confidence

Thanks Nicholas- yes feeling better now.

Regarding your suggestion to sit down with the examiners and clarifying vague points to them, I don't think it's a wise way to go- they were tough to you, why you should not be tough and solid in answering their questions- you SURELY deserve a PhD degree, you're not going to beg them to donate you a degree, since you did a great deal of work so far, so be rigid, tough, strong, ambitious, as you always are.

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> Dr. Rouhi:

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> A delight to hear from you! I hope you are feeling better. Thank you
> for your time, attention, encouragement, and guidance on these
> challenges. The thoughts and approaches you have raised are extremely
> valuable. I have begun working on addressing every single point raised
> by the examiners in the following order: Dr. Labrosse, Dr. Lemaire, Dr. Caldwell and Dr.
> Benoit. I will try to categorize them in the 5 categories you
> provided. My intent is once I have solid answers then perhaps I should
> sit down with all examiners to discuss my answers and then from here
> improve my answers based on their responses/reactions during the sit
> down. This I believe reduces the chances of their unhappiness during
> the second round of reviews. I am not sure if this is a wise thing to
> do given they will know our plan and they would have time to prepare a response? I know
that Dr.
> Lemaire and Dr. Benoit will push me around and will not help me but at
> least I have tried to do this and physiologically it appears forthcoming.
> Once the matrix has been complete with all the answers I will send it
> to you and Dr. Robertson.
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> The timeframes you have suggested are sound. I will endeavour to have
> solid answers to you and Dr. Robertson ASAP to facilitate a month of
> review on your end and additional time on my end to amend, polish and
> submit.
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> I meet Dr. Robertson today at 4pm and will try my best to convince him
> to support and help me. I will call you during the weekend Dr. Rouhi.
> Exact date and time I will tell you once I sort out the best way for
> me to go about calling you.

> Nicholas

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>> Sorry for the deay Nicholas. I hope you're doing well and now are in
>> a more stable and pleasant condition- time is a healer. I'd be more
>> than happy to talk to you over the phone. Please provide me your
>> phone
>> number-
>> mine are as follows:
>> home: 011 98 21 22462652
>> cell phone: 011 98 9125494202
>> You're welcome to call me on this Sat. anytime between 4:300 and 7PM
>> Tehran time or on Sunday between 6 and 7:30 PM.
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>> My brief answers to your questions: